

## **IC 15-2.1-15**

### **Chapter 15. Scales, Shipments, and Exhibitions**

## **IC 15-2.1-15-1**

### **Sale of diseased domestic animals**

Sec. 1. A person may not sell any animal that the person knows or suspects has an infectious or contagious disease, except to an approved slaughtering establishment, to a licensed marketing facility, or as the state veterinarian directs.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.34; P.L.165-1985, SEC.16; P.L.124-2001, SEC.100.*

## **IC 15-2.1-15-2 Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.48.)*

## **IC 15-2.1-15-3**

### **Records**

Sec. 3. (a) A person operating or conducting a sale of livestock shall keep an accurate and complete record of all sales. This shall include the following:

- (1) The kind of merchandise received for sale.
- (2) The name and address of the person from whom the merchandise was received.
- (3) The date on which such animals were received.
- (4) The name and address of the person to whom any animals were sold.
- (5) The kind and number of animals sold to each such person.
- (6) The price paid for such merchandise.
- (7) The record of individual ear tags, ear notches, back tags, tattoos, or brands.
- (8) If tested, individual test records, health records, and health certificates.
- (9) Any other information the board determines should be kept.

(b) The record shall be kept open for inspection by authorized personnel of the board.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.35; P.L.165-1985, SEC.17.*

## **IC 15-2.1-15-4**

### **Health certificates**

Sec. 4. (a) The board may adopt rules requiring that all dairy or breeding cattle and bison sold through any public or private sale must be accompanied with an official health certificate and that the cattle and bison test negative for brucellosis and tuberculosis. However, a special form as prescribed by the board may be used for this purpose instead of the certificate of veterinary inspection.

(b) The board may adopt rules exempting animals from testing for brucellosis and tuberculosis within Indiana or other states or areas.

(c) The board may not adopt rules exempting animals presenting little risk of spreading disease from brucellosis and tuberculosis

testing requirements. However, the state veterinarian may order cattle of any age to be tested to determine the disease status of the animal.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.36; P.L.165-1985, SEC.18; P.L.95-1992, SEC.9; P.L.124-2001, SEC.101.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-5**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.124-2001, SEC.181.)*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-6**

##### **Brucellosis reactors**

Sec. 6. Brucellosis Reactors. No cattle which show a positive reaction to a test for brucellosis shall be sold for any purpose other than immediate slaughter. Where the cattle have been tested at an auction sale barn, community sale or public stockyards and upon the basis of such test their status as a suspect has been disclosed for the first time, the owner or consignor may remove such suspect to his premises, subject to such quarantine provisions and restrictions as the board may prescribe, by regulation. If a retest discloses the suspicious animal to be negative, it may be sold in the same manner as any other negative animal.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-7**

##### **Disinfecting premises of sales**

Sec. 7. Disinfecting the Premises of Sales. Any person owning, operating or controlling any livestock auction market, livestock show, or public stockyard in this state, shall thoroughly clean and disinfect all his premises and enclosures according to regulations adopted by the board. All disinfecting agents used for disinfecting swine, crates, cars and other conveyances and the methods of disinfecting shall meet the approval of the state veterinarian.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.37.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-8**

##### **Swine sales; vaccination and treatment**

Sec. 8. Swine Sales; Vaccination and Treatment. No person operating or conducting an auction sale barn, community sale, or public stockyard may sell or offer for sale any swine unless the swine so sold or offered for sale has been vaccinated or treated or both vaccinated and treated or inspected, as the case may be, in accordance with regulations prescribed by the board.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-9**

##### **Sales for immediate slaughter**

Sec. 9. Animals may be sold for immediate slaughter at a

livestock auction market, community sale, or public stockyard. A person may not knowingly resell or divert for any purpose, other than immediate slaughter to an approved slaughtering establishment, any animals sold for immediate slaughter.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.38; P.L.124-2001, SEC.102.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-10**

##### **Prohibited offers, sales, and purchases**

Sec. 10. Prohibited Offers, Sales and Purchases. No person may sell or offer for sale or buy or offer to buy for food purposes, any animal or its products if the animal is injured or diseased and therefor unfit for human consumption.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-11**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by P.L.165-1985, SEC.37.)*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-12**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.48.)*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-13**

##### **Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.48.)*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-14**

##### **Fairs and livestock shows**

Sec. 14. The sale, exhibit, or display of animals at any fair or livestock show shall be subject to such regulations as the board may prescribe.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.124-2001, SEC.103.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-15**

##### **State inspection; duties of operator**

Sec. 15. The operator of an auction sale barn or community sale and the operator's agents and employees shall render reasonable assistance to the personnel engaged in state inspection as may be required to enable them to perform their duties. The operator shall furnish the facilities and assistance necessary to restrain animals in order that state inspection may be accomplished. The operator shall furnish the facilities necessary to allow the inspector to conduct tests and fill out all papers and forms required in the discharge of the inspector's duties.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.124-2001, SEC.104.*

#### **IC 15-2.1-15-16**

**Repealed**

*(Repealed by Acts 1977, P.L.166, SEC.48.)*

**IC 15-2.1-15-17**

**Identification of animals moving in trade**

Sec. 17. Animals moving in trade or market channels within Indiana shall be identified to the extent and in a manner considered necessary and prescribed by the board.

*As added by Acts 1976, P.L.59, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.124-2001, SEC.105.*

**IC 15-2.1-15-18**

**Documents to accompany animals in transit**

Sec. 18. The official health certificates, tests, charts, or other prescribed documents that are required by statute or by rule must:

- (1) accompany the animals when they are transported, shipped, or moved;
- (2) be present in the truck or other vehicle of transport used in shipping the animals; and
- (3) be available for inspection by authorized personnel of the board.

*As added by P.L.165-1985, SEC.20. Amended by P.L.1-1993, SEC.164.*